

INFORMATION PLEASE

TORRANCE WELCOMES

These New Residents This Week

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JAS. N. BROWN	730 Portola
MRS. JAB. RUSSELL	2014 Torrance Blvd. No. 210
MRS. FLOYD FOWLER	930 Arlington C
W. E. KELLEY	1235 Arlington
J. M. RUBEO	1816 Cota
KENNETH HAWKS	1917 D Cabrillo
STEVE VAN KEMPEN	1021 Cravens No. 8
MRS. FLORENCE MANLEY	2164 Torrance Blvd. No. 1

Ford Steps Up L. B. Production To Fill Orders

Schultz and Peckham, local Ford dealers, disclosed this week that they had been advised the Long Beach assembly plant of the Ford Motor Company had been forced to step up its production activity from a five-day to a six-day week, to meet an "ever-increasing demand" for Ford cars.

"According to word from J. R. Davis, Western sales supervisor, it became necessary to add one full working day to the production schedule early this month, when it became apparent sales were sky-rocketing to new highs," the local dealers said.

"It is now evident why, at the end of the first ten days of May, our sales in Southern California and Arizona were already 70 percent ahead of the same ten-day period of last year. This is the fifth consecutive month that has seen a sales improvement of at least 50 percent... an amazing record in which our local sales, we are proud to say, have played an important part."

The local Ford dealers said company officials believe the sensational May sales increase to be due largely to an extensive sales campaign recently launched by all Ford dealers. During this campaign, the local dealership expects to break every existing 60-day sales record.

"This ever-increasing demand may also be attributed to a feeling on the part of the public that the cost of all automobiles will increase soon, perhaps even before fall. Buyers are taking advantage of Ford dealers' desire to assist in getting transportation now, by offering extraordinarily high trade-in allowances."

Discussing the impressive 70 percent gain, Schultz and Peckham said that Ford passenger car sales alone were up 69 percent over May 1 to 10, 1940. The Mercury 8, and Ford truck and commercial car lines improved their business by 64 percent, and Lincoln posted the best gain of all, 114 percent.

The Argentine system of government is modeled broadly after that of the United States.



TALKING BARBECUE PLANS . . .

M. G. M. stars, Clark Gable and Rosalind Russell, take time from their studio work to discuss with Sheriff Eugene Biscailuz, plans for the forthcoming annual barbecue of the Sheriff's Relief Association. This is the 18th in this series of annual picnics staged by the Sheriff's Office and will be held on Sunday, June 29, at Santa Anita.

STORKatorials

MARIA ANTOINETTE MICHAEL . . . was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Philip Michael of 35122 Narbonne ave. Lomita at 3:53 p. m. May 24 at Torrance Memorial hospital. Their first child, she weighed 7 pounds 6 ounces. Father Michael is an oil worker in Wilmington and Mrs. Michael is the former Ethel Lucille Ruby. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Michael of San Diego and W. L. Raley of Vernon, Florida.

GERALD SKAGGS . . . arrived to Mr. and Mrs. John Skaggs of Redondo Beach at 9:25 a. m. May 26 at Torrance Memorial hospital. Their first child, he weighed 7 pounds 7 ounces. His father is employed by a Los Angeles packing company and his mother is the former Jessie Webster. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James C. Webster of Gardena and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Stagers of Torrance. L. W. Denney of Gardena is a great-grandfather to Gerald.

BABY BROWN . . . a daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brown Jr. of San Pedro at 3 p. m. May 27 at Torrance Memorial hospital. Brown is employed by the Bethlehem shipyards in San Pedro.

Better Get Advance Space for Vacation

Wise vacationists are making their plans now and reserving accommodations well in advance. This was the tip given to travelers yesterday by the hotel and resort reservation bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California. It is pointed out that in addition to the large volume of California travel on the roads, motor tourist traffic in the Southland from other states has increased considerably.

Government defense establishments and activities have affected at least half a hundred cities in California, and the accommodations are difficult to obtain on short notice in many communities.

Thus, the club notes, it will pay the motorist planning summer trip to lay his plans ahead and know where he is going to stop for the night wherever he may be.

Local Man Gets 19th Ford at Rouge Plant

N. D. Smith of this city drove away from Dearborn, Mich., recently in the 19th Ford car he has owned. He obtained his new model—a 1941 Super Deluxe Tudor sedan—at the Rouge plant of the Ford Motor Co. Before beginning the return trip to the west coast, Smith took advantage of the company's invitation to tour the big plant. He also spent some time among the displays in the Ford Rotunda, the company's exhibit and reception building.

GRAVE LABOR AT PAR CHILDERSBURG, Ala. — (U. P.)—

No high wages will be paid to remove bodies from cemeteries in the area to be used for a \$50,000,000 powder plant here. Frank Miles, head of the government land-buying office, says regular labor will be used.

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AT ALL FOOD STORES

Increase Noted In Number of Measles Cases

With measles running considerably above average figures, the County Health Department urges parents, nurses, and attending physicians to cooperate with public health authorities in the reporting of cases, even though it is not yet sure that an actual epidemic is in the near prospect.

More cases of measles have been reported so far this year than the total for the entire year of 1940. 210 new cases were reported for the past week. German measles, too, is extremely high, running nearly 20 times the figure for corresponding periods of normal years.

Children who have not had the disease are susceptible to measles. If exposed, they should remain at home during the full incubation period of 14 days. If measles develop during that period, children must remain at home until the rash and fever have entirely disappeared and they have no further symptoms.

Children who are sick with measles can spread the disease as soon as symptoms begin and before the rash appears. Measles is most serious in children under 5 years of age, and health authorities advise parents to consult a physician as to advisability of preventative serum for children of preschool ages. While the disease in itself is not serious, complications such as pneumonia or mastoiditis may be. Hence, authorities advise that measles patients should be under a physician's care.

COLLECTS PINE CONES

PASADENA, Cal. (U.P.)—Norma Louise Nelson, who is studying to be a forester, has as a hobby the collecting of pine cones. Her collection includes specimens from not only all kinds of cone-bearing trees, but also from the different national parks.

Women received their first big chance to do office work under President Lincoln, who employed 3,500 as government clerks. In one week recently 22,804 women applied for jobs in the War Department alone.

James Howe Awarded Service Memento

In recognition of his 15 years with the company, James F. Howe, Torrance representative of the New York Life Insurance Company, was recently presented with an attractive new sales kit book at the annual luncheon meeting of the Southern California branch at Wilshire Country club. The book

WRONG WINDOW

GILROY, Cal. (U.P.)—Peter Mendez, 24-year-old Mexican, peeped into the wrong window. It was that of Policeman Norman Goodrich. After that, he carries an inscription addressed to Howe from President George L. Harrison, chief executive officer of the company, and commends his "steady work and efficiency-results."

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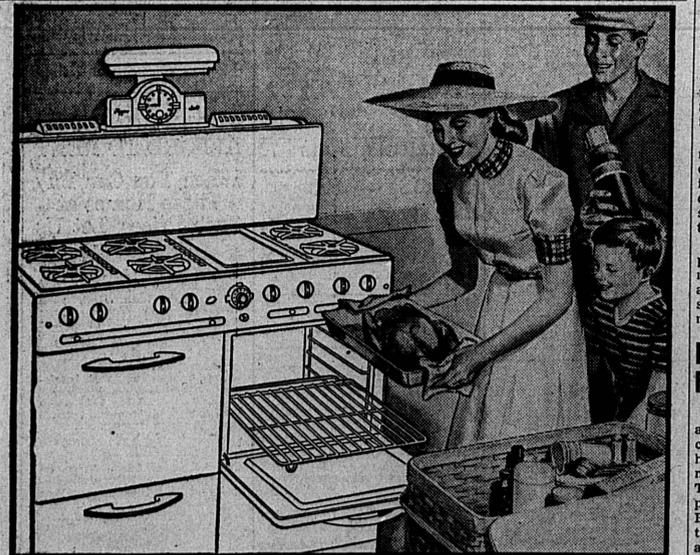
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